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have started.

**The Bank of Mt. Vernon**  
The Bank that takes care of its Customers

### LIVINGSTON.

R. B. Sams, of Paris, was here latter part of last week. Bert seems to be improving slowly. We hope he will soon be his old self again. Miss Carrie Ponder is very sick at this writing. R. L. Thomas, of Winchester, the saw mill man, was here Tuesday. M. E. Mullins is moving into the Woodall property on Main street. Ben Griffin, who has been visiting his brother, Claud, near White Oak, has returned. John Mahaffey is very low at this writing. The dispatchers' clock that trains have been run by for the past sixteen years, was removed Tuesday by S. C. Franklin and placed in the ticket office. John Riddle, the flour man from Brodhead, was here Saturday. W. M. Preston, of Louisville, is here preparing to move his household goods to that city. I. W. Catlin is on the sick list this week. Mrs. J. W. Terry, who has been quite sick for some time is better. Walter Robins, of that good little town of Brodhead, was here Tuesday. Rev. Albert L. Pfannmiller, of Lexington, will preach at the Christian church, Saturday the 16th. Mrs. G. D. Cook, who has been quite sick, is greatly improved. George Owens the monument man of Mt. Vernon, was here Tuesday. A. C. Carpenter was in Mt. Vernon, Monday. Allen Mounce is serving on the Jury from this place. Arthur Thompson, of Mt. Vernon, was here between trains, Tuesday. "A Noble Outcast," a drama in four acts by John A. Fraser, will be presented by the Brodhead Hamiltonian Society, at the Christ-

ian church, Tuesday night, Jan. 19. Proceeds to go to the Christian churches at Brodhead and Livingston. Everyone come out and let's give them a good crowd, as this is local talent and should be patronized. The series of meetings at the Christian Church, conducted by Evangelist J. R. Miller, closed last night. There have been 57 additions, 28 were baptised Sunday. Bro Miller is a fine speaker and has had a good meeting at this place. May he still continue the good work. Mrs. Celia Turpin has returned from Mt. Vernon, where she has been for the past week visiting relatives and having dental work done. The Rev. D. Edgar Allen filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church, Saturday and Sunday. J. E. Woodall, the bustling salesman of London, was with our merchants Tuesday. There is a series of meetings going on at Sand Hill, conducted by the Rev. Clouse, assisted by Elder Richard Moberly. Up to the present there have been seven additions to the church. A little child of Mr. and Mrs. James Whitaker died Tuesday. Last Sunday morning El. Hansel was called to go to Cozatts (being a flagman) and as he was passing the store of G. S. Griffin & Co. at 3:30 a. m., he noticed someone lighting matches in the store. Knowing this was too early for Mr. Griffin or any one connected with the store, he investigated further and found it was a burglar. He went at once to Mr. Griffin's residence and called him and his son and they all went back to the store and captured a negro in the house. They landed him in the little red house (jail) and he

was taken to Mt. Vernon, Sunday, where justice was meted, five years in the pen. We understand he was one of a gang of five. Two large stores have been burned in the few past months here and we believe this is the key to the mystery. The Sunday School at the Christian church broke the record Sunday in attendance. The roll call showed 195 present. W. A. Warren, who was hurt at Winchester seems to be improving. Rev. D. Edgar Allen filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Catlin will go to housekeeping in the River Mansion Hotel. Mrs. C. A. Blanford and daughter, Miss Ella Mae, after a few days' visit with friends in Louisville and Parksville have returned home. Mrs. L. G. Fa'in and children are visiting relatives at Pine Hill. S. C. Franklin, L. & N. watch inspector and little son, Bernard M., were here between trains Sunday, enroute home from Bertha, Ky. R. G. Moore, who lives on Trace Branch, has sold to J. P. E. Drummonds in the year 1914, 12½ lbs. butter and 18½ dozen eggs, total amount received for eggs and butter \$125.00. Now, who can beat this? Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Preston, of Cincinnati, Ohio, were here Sunday, enroute to Quail to see Mrs. Preston's mother Mr. Andrew Herron, who is very sick. Mrs. Sallie Cottogin, of Pine Hill, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cottogin. G. S. Griffin was in Mt. Vernon, Sunday. Mrs. George Hellard is visiting relatives at Pittsburg, Ky. Mr. R. N. Owens, who once was a Rockcastle boy, about but years ago removed to Salem, Ind., is here visiting relatives. The negro (Happy Hooligan), who was arrested here and taken to Mt. Vernon, Sunday, was indicted, tried and sentenced to the pen, all in one day. Judge Bethurum you are O. K.; three cheers for you. Mrs. U. G. Baker, of Mt. Vernon, is visiting Mrs. G. S. Griffin. Mr. John Overbay, who has been very sick for some time is slowly improving. Born to the wife of Mr. Fred Spink a fine girl, on the 9th.

### HOW'S THIS

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry on any obligations made by his firm.

National Bank of Commerce, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## What Rock- castle Could Do

BY \$100,000  
BOND ISSUE

Mr. Editor, what our people are wanting to know I believe, is, if we should issue bonds how we could ever pay for them, without bankrupting ourselves. Well I will endeavor to answer this question satisfactorily. At a stated meeting of our last Legislature they very wisely enacted a law placing a 5c tax on all personal and realty property in the state of Kentucky thereby creating a yearly fund of something over \$600,000 with the automobile license tax added, making it something near \$700,000 and the Legislature further stated that each and every county that will put itself in an attitude to receive it, may draw down 2 per cent of this sum every year which would provide Rockcastle county with \$12,000 each year. Now then, if we will issue \$100,000 bonds at 5 per cent you can readily see that the State alone, will pay \$6000 for the interest on the bonds and provide a sinking fund of \$6000 each year to

meet the payments of the bonds in the end. Then say that Rockcastle county just has \$3,000,000 taxable property but you all know she has more. What would a 25 cts levy bring into the coffers of the county, \$7500 each year, now add it on but the State would give us after paying the interest for us on our same bonds which would be \$6000x\$7500 would be \$13,500 we would pay the first year and it would be less next year and next, as you can readily see, until the bonds would pay for themselves in less than 8 years. Now with the State paying 50c of every dollar we spend on our roads let's see who would pay the balance of the other 50c. Rockcastle county is very fortunate indeed to have the L. & N. Rail Road Co., in its bounds, running thru our county two way, who pay something like 43 per cent of all the tax in the county, then we have three incorporated towns namely, Livingston, Brodhead and Mt. Vernon, who would pay 32 per cent of all the taxes paid in the county, making 75 per cent of the taxes of Rockcastle county paid by the L. & N. R. Co. and the three incorporated towns within.

The L. & N. nor a single one of the incorporated towns would receive one penny of the road money as you know the L. & N. don't use dirt roads or pikes and the incorporated towns have to build their own streets. Now that the L. & N. R. Co. and the three incorporated towns would pay 75 per cent of the 50c tax left to be paid by the county as a whole, what would be left for the farmer to pay? It is plain to see that 75 per cent of 50c is 37½ cts, leaving 12½ cts of every dollar expended on the roads to be paid by the farmer and 87½ cts paid by the state and corporation and incorporated towns, and the farmer also gets the roads. The State has charge of the building of the roads in every particular thereby assuring us that it will be alright. Our Fiscal Court is doing every thing in its power and was loyal citizens should uphold

their hands and get together and be up and doing and give to our county good pikes which every one would feel proud of.

Yours,  
C. C. DAVIS.

The liver loses its activity at times and needs help. Herbine is an effective liver stimulant. It also purifies the bowels, strengthens digestion and restores strength, vigor and cheerful spirits. Price 50c. Sold by John Robins, Brodhead, Ky.

### Quarterly Report

Report of the condition of The Peoples Bank, doing business at the town of Mt. Vernon, County of Rockcastle, State of Kentucky at the close of business on 31st day of December 1914.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	80,161.41
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	350.21
Due from Banks	11,869.51
Cash on hand	5,529.88
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	7,577.57
Current Expenses	1,891.89
Total	\$107,380.47

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	20,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,100.00
Undivided Profits	4,511.00
Deposits subject to check	80,769.47
Total	\$107,380.47

STATE OF KENTUCKY )  
County of Rockcastle )  
We, U. G. Baker and F. L. Thompson Jr., President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

U. G. BAKER, President,  
F. L. THOMPSON JR., Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January 1915.  
My Commission Expires Feb. 23, 1918.

E. S. ALBRIGHT,  
Notary Public.

### The Opportunity

to Bank with a clean, strong, progressive bank appeals to the thoughtful business man. The Peoples seeks your business on its record.

## Peoples Bank

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

### The Knocker— The Booster

"When the Creator made all the good and beautiful things, in order that they might be truly appreciated, He then made the beasts and reptiles and poisonous insects. When He had finished He had left over scraps that were too bad to put in the Rattlesnake, the Hyena, the Scorpion, or the Skunk so He placed all these together, covered it with Suspicion, wrapped it with Jealousy, marked it with a Yellow Streak, and called it a Knocker.

"Then, as compensation for this fearful product, He took a sun-beam and put it in the heart of a child, the love of a mother, the brain of a man, wrapped these in civic pride, covered it with brotherly love, gave it a mask of velvet, and a grasp of steel, and called it a Booster.

"He made him a lover of fields and flowers, and manly sports; a believer in equality and justice. Ever since these two were created, mortal man has had the privilege of choosing his associates."

## CASTORIA

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Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough are children's ailments which need immediate attention. The after-effects are often most serious. Don't take the risk you don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery checks the Cold, soothes the Cough, cures the Inflammation, kills the Germs and allows Nature to do her healing work 50c. at your Druggist. Buy a bottle to-day.

# MT. VERNON SIGNAL

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SENATOR OWEN, of Oklahoma, has introduced a bill asking Congress to appropriate funds for giving work to the unemployed, by beginning the construction of highways. It is hardly expected that such a bill will get thru at this session but its bound to come some day. It just takes a demand from the people to have Congress do the right thing by them. After Boone Way is put thru it is confidently predicted the government will be ready to step in and convert it into a National Highway and will therefore pay all expenses for the maintenance of this great road. Below is a copy of letter on the subject from our own Senator Ollie James:

Washington, D. C. 1 9-15  
Mt. Vernon Commercial Club,  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.  
Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of a communication of recent date from you relative to Senator Owens' Bill. You may rest assured that I shall remember "Boone Way", and if the opportunity comes wherein I may aid you I shall be only too glad to do so. With kind regards, I am,

Very truly your friend,  
OLLIE M. JAMES.

"THE Knoxville Sentinel published a good map of Boone Way in last Saturday's issue along with descriptive reading matter, showing that the city, "Gateway to the Appalachians" is on the boosting of good roads generally and Boone Way in particular.

Good roads are a business asset and we believe that no stone should remain until we secure the best highways possible.

"MT. VERNON. The North Gate to the Cumberlands."

## "JONES PAYS THE FREIGHT"

Under the heading we propose to discuss a condition that seems to prevail at the present time, to an extent unprecedented in the days of yeamany. In the pioneer days of sociability, brotherly love and good cheer.

A rank stranger, in those days would ride to the yard fence or front door of a lonely log-cabin and cry out "hel-lo!"

The wife, or husband or any member of the family would respond, "get down" "Hitch your horse and come in."

The stranger, if he is one, tells his name and business, if he has any. Meanwhile the house wife adds something to the regular meal, and the stranger, neighbor or traveler must stay to dinner.

If it is late in the day, he is urgently invited to "stay all night" his animal is cared for and fed as much as the guest desires, and a night of fellowship, is spent enjoyed by host, hostess and guest.

Not so to-day! Commercialism avarice, covetousness and ambition to grow rich has throttled the simple hospitality, and desire to accommodate or help stranger, neighbor or brother, it has become the exception rather than the rule.

The attempt to specialize as an illustration would have an effect similar to striking a live hornet's nest in July.

The whole community would be "swatting" you as a slanderer, and a defamer of individual character.

Our text is "Jones pays the Freight." For illustration we might take a Town Council, a County School Board, a Fiscal Court, or finance board of any kind in "Patagonia" or a campaign committee, in "Helgoland" a Bond Issue—in short any or

ganization designed to raise and disburse public funds.

Without a specific case or any particular board in mind, we proceed to analyze, and dissect our State School system.

1st. Our State Bonds, which form the nucleus of our endowment fund was originally bequeathed to the State for the educational purposes. It was Kentucky's share of proceeds of public lands, amounting to nearly million and a half dollars.

Only seven hundred fifty thousand dollars was covered into the treasury and State Bonds secured for it.

It has been increased latterly, by government paying to the state a sum, about \$500,000 excess of debt collected in civil war.

This with other resources has increased our State Bonds for public schools to a very respectable endowment fund. These bonds is our investment in perpetuity. No time limit for their redemption, with interest at 6 per cent per annum.

This interest is part, the sum for which "Jones pays the Freight."

"Who is Jones? You ask." "Jones pays what?" Well you and I are part of Jones. and the Jones we are telling you about is the taxpaying public. See? Over one-half of ad valorem tax, paid annually, by Jones goes into the state treasury, solely for the payment of teachers.

Add to this the county taxation for school purposes, and we have an aggregate of a sum considerably more than half of the entire sum collected to defray expenses of State administration.

Space, common courtesy and time forbids going into details, regarding efficiency or inefficiency in the State department, or county boards of education.

When we stop to consider the length of time, that elapsed since we began to prepare, to get ready to begin, to formulate a school system; when we note the long tortuous way over which the process has been dragged, we do not wonder at our blot of illiteracy, that confronts us on every side.

The greatest wonder is that our system has not more signally failed than it has.

If our ancestors, and the time of honorable descendants had put that estimate on our educational growth and development, that we then and now place on our material and commercial interests we should to day stand as the peer of the most advanced State, in all that goes to make a great people.

If the energy and effort, that has been expended to build up a registered, strain of fine stock or to produce the champion blooded animal of the state or nation, or to produce the finest brand of Bourbon whiskey or Burley tobacco. I say, if one half the energy and enterprise that has been bestowed on these, had been expended on books, and buildings schools and colleges, and the same pains taken to train high class, cleared eyed, sharp witted, clean blooded, boys and girls, the year 1915 would not have found us, situated as we are, with so few schools and school buildings worthy of the name.

More than this, our system of internal improvement has not kept pace with our other interest as they should.

For example we have only to point to our material resources, rich beyond computation, for the building and maintaining a system of roads unsurpassed into the world.

In any direction, for hundreds of miles, the material for building macadam, concrete, or gravel road is well nigh inexhaustible and in a majority of cases ready at hand or easily accessible.

We perish for a lack of knowledge. We grope in the night tradition, walking in the foot steps, struggling thru ruins, and mud holes of thought, and action entailed upon us by the pioneer practices of more than half a century ago.

To what cause, then, shall we ascribe the conditions referred to?

To whom shall we charge this direction of duty? How are we to discover and remedy cause, for failure? Has there been, and is there now, cause for just complaint of the matter, in which our affairs are administered? Do we get value received for Jones' gigantic outlay of public funds? Does Jones get a square deal, by men, and means employed to ad-

minister the trust imposed in them? Any simple on can ask questions that tax the thought of wise men to answer.

The writer only suggests by these questions, a condition only hinted at that requires the best thought of sober intelligent citizens of the commonwealth. Who will accept the challenge?

J. W. VANWINKLE.  
Mt. Vernon, Ky., Jan. 12.

## MANY DISORDERS COME FROM THE LIVER

Are You Just at Odds with Your self? Do You Regulate Living?

Are you sometimes at odds with yourself and with the world? Do you wonder what ails you? True you may be eating regularly and sleeping well. Yet something is the matter! Constipation, Headache, Nervousness and Billious Spills indicate a Sloggy Liver. The tried remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Only 25¢ at your Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Skin Eruptions.

## BRODHEAD

The directors of The Brodhead Fair Association met last Monday evening for the purpose of electing officers for this year. The election resulted in retaining J. G. Frith, President; R. H. Hamm, Vice Pres., John Robins, Secretary A. M. Hiatt, Treasurer, the only change being the election of Superintendent, R. S. Shivel succeeding B. A. Yaden. The dates set for holding the coming fair are August 11-12-13, and the management will lose no time in laying the foundation for the biggest fair ever pulled off here, and that is saying something too. It is the purpose of the directors to enlarge the grounds in order to accommodate such crowds as we had on the second day last year, for they realize that had the weather man not been against us, the people or a part of them, would have been forced to climb trees to get breathing room. All we ask is three first class days, and we will do the rest not doubting the results.—Robert Owens, of Salem, Ind. and George Owens, of Mt. Vernon, Ky. were guests of their brother, J. M. Owens, of this place during the week.—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pike of Corbin, were with his parents Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Pike, last week.—Walter Robins was in Livingston on business Tuesday.—The Rev. D. G. Combs of Morehead, Ky., has accepted the Pastorale of the Christian church this year, the Rev. R. B. Baker, former Pastor, resigning.—J. C. Dittman, of Boston, was a pleasant caller in our town last Sunday.—Rev. A. J. Pike has to this date received calls to preach for Gilead church, Madison county; North Rolling Fork, Boyle county; Seaford Cane, Mt. Zion, Freedom and Brodhead, this county. He informs us that he has accepted the first four named churches. It seems that older Bro. Pike gets the more popular he is, and we are sorry that he is not able to fill all the calls he has.—Uncle Tom Frith is quite sick this week.—Mrs. Laura B. Cable died at her late residence Tuesday at 10 p.m. She had been in bad health for several years, and those acquainted with her condition hardly dreamed that she would have lived so long. For the past few weeks she had been decidedly worse and yet her death came as a surprise to all. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hamm, a sister of our R. H. Pamm, and the widow of W. C. Cable, who was killed by a falling rail road bridge several years ago. The following children survive her: Mrs. J. B. Pike Misses Etta and Sue Cable, of this place; and C. C. Cable, a prominent business man of Danville. Her life was an open book, and worthy of the imitation of all. After short services at the Christian church by J. C. McClary, the officiating undertaker, her remains were laid to rest in the Christian church cemetery. We extend to the bereaved ones our sympathy.—Town Marshall W. A. Tyree returned a few days ago from St. Francisville, Ill. where he was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Roberts, who was quite sick.—D. B. Albright has been very sick this week, but is reported better at this writing.—Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Preston, of Cincinnati, are the guests of relatives in Quail section this week.—Miss Irene and Master Charlie Flynn, of Corbin, returned to their home after spending several weeks with their uncle W. A. Tyree.—Bane Carson is at home from Tellico Plains, Tenn. for several weeks.—Atty. and

Mrs. E. R. Gentry attended the funeral of Mrs. Laura B. Cable here Wednesday.—On the 3rd instant, Babe Leece shot A. M. Hiatt, Sen. near his home on Copper-Creek, first knocking the old gentlemen down, then shooting him with a double barrel gun, the shot taking effect in the right foot Mr. Hiatt, who is now past 85 years old, is suffering a great deal from his wound, and hardly is expected to recover. Drs. Jones and Phillips, of Crab Orchard, are attending him.—Master Clemence Howell was quite sick last week.—Mrs. Chas. McKenzie and Sadie Moore, of Mt. Vernon, are the guests of the family of their uncle R. S. Martin, this week.—Dr. W. E. Gravely was in Mt. Vernon during the week.

## BILLIOUSNESS AND CONSTIPATION CURED.

If you are ever troubled with billiousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of R. E. Erwin, Peru, Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended, I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away." For sale by all dealers.

## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

In the Matter of )  
Joseph W. Jackson ) Bankruptcy

Richmond, Ky., 1 11-15  
To the creditors of Joseph W. Jackson, of Pine Hill, in the county of Rockcastle, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on January 8th 1915 the said Joseph W. Jackson was duly adjudged a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in Richmond, Ky., on January 22 at 2:30 p. m. at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the Bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

A. R. BURNAM, Jr.  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

## EXCELLENT FOR STOMACH TROUBLE.

Chamberlain's Tablets are just fine for stomach trouble, writes Mrs. G. C. Dunn, Arnold, Pa. "I was bothered with this complaint for some time and frequently had bilious attacks. Chamberlain's Tablets agarded me great relief from the first, and since taking one bottle of them I feel like a different person." For sale by all dealers.

## Quarterly Report

Report of the condition of The Bank of Mt. Vernon, doing business at the town of Mt. Vernon, County of Rockcastle, State of Kentucky at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1914.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	82,314 25
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	686 33
Due from Banks	5,299 67
Cash on hand	4,641 45
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	1,670 25
Other Assets not included under any of above heads, Expenses and taxes	3,848 82
Total	\$98,460 77

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash	15,000 00
Surplus Fund	6,300 00
Undivided Profits	5,081 66
Deposits subject to check	62,479 11
Notes and Bills Rediscounted	8,000 00
Total	\$98,460 77

STATE OF KENTUCKY )  
County of Rockcastle )

We, Jonas McKenzie and W. L. Richards, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JONAS MCKENZIE, President,  
W. L. RICHARDS, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January 1915.  
My Commission Expires Feb. 13, 1918

A. B. FURNISH,  
Notary Public.

If George Washington never told a lie it is a cinch that he never caught a fish in his life.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

# NOTICE TO THE Tax Payers Of Rockcastle County

Who owe Taxes for 1914: I am bound to make my settlement with the county and I have to balance to meet the settlement. Now I don't want to levy on your property, but I must have this money, so I will have to levy on you if you don't pay at once. I cannot pay your tax for you, so you cannot blame me as you have had plenty of time to pay them. Your household goods will not be excepted for I mean this.

Yours,

**CAM MULLINS,**  
Sheriff Rockcastle County.

## TRY THIS FOR NEURALGIA

Thousands of people keep on suffering with Neuralgia because they do not know what to do for it. Neuralgia is a pain in the nerves. What you want to do is to soothe the nerve itself. Apply Sloan's Liniment to the surface over the painful part—do not rub in. Sloan's Liniment penetrates very quickly to the sore, irritated nerve and allays the inflammation. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

## QUAIL.

Mrs. Jamima Todd sold a cow to J. M. Craig for \$24.—Mr. Walter Elder and family of Uubanks, are visiting his brother, Elbert Elder, and W. E. Taylor of this place.—The infant of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Herrin has been very sick but is better at this time.—Mrs. Green Sutton of Precheursville, has returned to her home after six weeks stay with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Herrin. Mrs. Sutton is slowly improving.—Miss Docia Reynolds remains in very poor health.—J. M. Craig's mother and little daughter, Mamie have been very sick but are better.—Mrs. James Brown and daughter of Lincoln, spent Sunday with their sister Mrs. Docia Thompson of this place.—Arthur Scott is on the sick list.—D. M. Preston and wife of Cincinnati, are visiting their mother Mrs. M. E. Herrin.—W. A. Owens is conducting a two weeks singing at Providence with very large attendance.—Victor Todd and Benton Thompson say they are going west the first of March. Miss Lizzie Owens spent Sunday and Sunday night with Miss Delte and Nellie Brown.—Earnie and Opie Herrin are plastering in Mt. Vernon this week.—Miss Bertha Cordial has been confined to her room for several days with lagrippe.—The Owens school closed January 1st. Mr. Virgil Brown of Level Green was teacher. An entertainment was given and a very large crowd was present.—M. M. Taylor was visiting his grandmother at Mt. Vernon last week.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

Pleurisy pains are located below the short ribs. Lumbago affects the same region but toward the back. Ballard's Snow Liniment is the remedy in either case. If rubbed in thoroughly it eases pain, relaxes the muscles and the patient can move about freely and comfortably. Price 25c 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by John Robins, Brodhead, Ky.

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## PERSONAL

Dr. Davis has not been so well for past few days.

Mrs. W. H. Cox has been very sick for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hiatt were up from Brodhead yesterday.

Mrs. I. A. Bowman who has been sick for several days is better.

Judge G. M. Ballard and Sheriff Cam Mullins are in McKee this week.

Morton Owens has a great-grandchild, son of George Hastv, near Level Green.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thos. Cherry, were guests of Atty. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Sunday.

Atty. and Mrs. E. R. Gentry attended the funeral of Mrs. Cable at Brodhead Wednesday.

Among the visiting Attorneys at this term of court are Attys. Kruger and Quinn of Livingston.

Harvey Mitchell was here from London Tuesday and says good roads sentiment in Laurel is red hot.

Mrs. C. A. Hurst, of Indianapolis, who was recently on a visit to relatives here, has returned to her home.

Miss Bettie Lewis of near Cincinnati, will arrive this afternoon, to visit relatives and friends here for a few days.

Mr. Anderson Burdette will begin teaching a 3 months subscription school near his home on the Richmond road about Feb. 1st.

Beverly Evans, Harvey Mitchell, Fred Evans and Edd Woodall, all of them popular "Knights of the Grip" and Boone Way boost is living in London, were here during the week.

Mrs. George Brock, of London is with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Fish, who has been very sick during the past week. Mr. Brock stopped off yesterday on his return from Lebanon and remained over until today.

John Clontz is in a very serious condition and has been since Wednesday. Mr. Clontz is one of the Jurors, and suffered the first attack while in the court room. His condition is such that he can not be taken to his home.

R. N. Owens, the Salem, Ind., monument man, is here on a visit to his brother near Brodhead and spent a portion of the week with his brother, George Owens the local monument dealer. Both of them are good ones in their line.

## LOCAL

Star Brand Shoes are sold in Mt. Vernon by J. Fish & Son.

W. N. Thompson of Marentburg sold to Lancaster parties this week 600 bushels of wheat at \$1.15.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Coffey are the proud parents of a fine girl baby which arrived Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Lewis of Wilkes announced the arrival of a fine girl baby at their home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller are the proud parents of their first born, a fine girl baby. The mother, before her marriage was Miss Daisy Fish.

Miss Rose McCord, of this place, is the second woman to become a member of the Kentucky Good Roads Association. She is also a member of the National Highways Association of Washington.

Chas. C. Davis says he can't understand why any one will deliberately steel corn from him as cheap as it is and considering the fact that it is so plentiful, but be careful that your sin doesn't find you out.

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Ladies and Men's \$1.50 sweaters for 90¢ cash at Fish's.

Judge I. A. Stewart, DeLand, Fla., Dr. E. J. Brown, Stanford, and W. H. Williams, Aztec, New Mexico, have sent good contributions to the Cemetery Improvement Association fund.

The name of J. C. Griffin, was unintentionally omitted from the list of directors of the Peoples Bank, as given in last issue. Mr. Griffin is one of the banks best directors and the oversight we regret.

## NOTICE

I have moved my office from Cox Bros' store and am now located over Mit Miller's store, same building as drug store.

Very respectfully,

Jan 8-31 LEE CHESTNUT.

The revival at the Baptist church will close tonight. There have been between thirty and forty additions. Rev. Smith is a strong and able speaker and at the evening services the house has not been sufficient to accommodate the crowds.

Miss Arlie Dotson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Dotson and Mr. Emanuel Baulen, son of J. Chilton Bullen, all of the Wildie section and some of the county's very best people, were married at the home of the bride Wednesday. The Signal joins in wishing them well.

Henry Burge, aged 38, of Junction City wrote a legible letter the sixth night after beginning night school. A photograph copy of it appeared in Danville Advocate. Mr. Burge is a section hand and last fall declined a \$70. foreman's position on account of his inability to read and write. He will not have to decline a second opening.

Detective W. O. Jones, a son of Mrs. Mahala Jones of this place, continues in the successful role of detective in connection with the New York police force. Newspapers of that city show that his activity in his line of work is duly appreciated by Inspector Dwyer, under whom he is working, and is often commended by that officer for his discharge of duties assigned him.

News comes from the Brindle Ridge section that Miss Bertha York, the 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. York, of that section, was kicked by a horse last Sunday night while on her way to Hickory Grove church and seriously hurt. Miss York was riding behind Miss Clyde Sigman and the horse threw them both, kicking Miss York in the side of the head.

## CIRCUIT COURT.

Short work was made of landing Happy Hooligan, the peg leg negro, in the pen. Indicted, tried and sentenced to the pen in one hour was he record of last Monday morning. Happy broke into the George S. Griffin Co store at Livingston last Saturday night.

A number of railroad cases on the docket were compromised, which will lessen very considerably the work of this term.

Robert Owens was given judgment for \$500.00 against the Knobs Essential Oil Co. Owens got his leg broke while pulling stumps for this company. The case will be appealed.

A number of civil cases of minor importance have been tried.

## Citizens Bank of Brodhead Makes Good Record under Present Management

The regular annual stockholders meeting of the Citizens Bank Brodhead, Ky. re-elected the old board of Directors and adds one new member, Mr. Larkin Hicks who has recently purchased a good block of its stock. Mr. Hicks is realized by those who know him as a good business man, and the directors will no doubt be strengthened by his presence.

A net earning of over ten percent was reported by Cashier Hiatt and after declaring a liberal dividend and reducing their furniture and fixture account the lawful amount was carried to surplus and the balance to undivided profits.

The Directors realizing the efficient service rendered by Cashier Hiatt granted him a nice increase in salary. We are glad to see this bank making such a good record.

# WHY FOR THE BOND ISSUE

Below will be found expressions from citizens from nearly all parts of the county giving their reasons why they think the issue of \$100,000 in bonds for constructing two highways thru the county, is the correct and proper thing to do.

Wm. Bullock, Hansford:—Because its to everybody's interest, rich and, poor, especially the poor. J. N. Vanhook, Marentburg:—It will build up the county, bring in more capital and produce better results than any other undertaking.

Gus Staverson, Crab Orchard road:—More money men would be induced to come to our county and make investments. We can go somewhere and get back Farm values would increase and times be better every way.

Willis Sigman:—It will make far better educational opportunities for the rising generation.

D. G. Clark, Orlando:—We cannot afford to give away \$1500 (the 5 cent state road tax) each year, so why not save it by bond issue and get sixty times more added to it as a gift to us?

W. H. Jones, Wildie:—It will open up our county to travel and afford highways on which we can get over all months in the year.

John Hunt, Marentburg:—For many reasons. Our laborers will get employment and markets can be reached.

Willis Johnson, Cove:—Should the American Wire and Steel Co., offer me wire sufficient to fence my farm and to make me a present of half its cost and then give me a chance to work out the other half, would be foolish not to accept the offer. This bond issue and State aid is a similar proposition.

K. J. McKinney, Valley Oak:—It will lift us out of the mud and give us an opportunity to attend church regularly, improve our schools and give our people greater opportunities for making a living and securing many benefits and some of the pleasures while passing thru this life.

J. D. Bullock, Level Green:—You drove over the road I came in on this morning you wouldn't have to ask why I am for bond issue. We want to get out of the mud.

J. H. Wolf, Wildie:—Because the railroad, and other corporations will pay more than 75 per cent of the tax for paying off the bonds.

John Shutts, Ottawa:—With the corporations paying 75 per cent of the tax and the State putting in as much as the county we can't afford to have the bond issue defeated.

Sam Purcell, Ottawa:—We don't want to refuse to accept such a gigantic present as is now offered us by the corporations and the State.

E. B. Brown, Quail:—Because it will provide roads for farmers to market their produce.

Noah Tipton, Hiatt:—The best move ever made by any county is that for better roads and the bond issue is the logical way of meeting the State aid proposition.

John Hurst, Quail:—Rockcastle would come to the front with the proposed good roads.

Victor Price, Level Green:—It would very materially raise our standard in social, educational and religious matters, because we would be enabled to reach the markets, visit our neighbors and friends in the various counties.

Big John Nicely, Pongo:—Its a great thing. There is nothing better.

John W. Parsons, Refros Creek:—I was against the bond issue at the former election. Conditions are radically different now and I heartily favor the movement. It will add a million dollars valuation to our county within three years.

G. C. Fish, Buckeye:—Will get the use of a larger portion of the money in the county and give labor to our people and we will get the use of the roads with a long time in which to pay off our portion of the cost.

John Graves, Hansford:—I am for \$100,000 bond issue to build two roads thru the county, one from Laurel to Lincoln (Boone Way) and the other from Madison to Pulaski. I was against the bond issue before, but this is a different proposition now and I am strictly for it.

Grover Johnson, Pine Hill:—I

fought the bond issue before, but I am strictly for it this time and will do all I can to help carry the issue.

Billy Baker, Richmond Road:—Because it costs the poor man nothing and gives him work.

Millard Bethurum, Skaggs Creek:—Because the burden, if it is a burden, will be borne by the corporation and the farmer will scarcely know he is in it except getting big benefits from improved roads and getting some of the pleasure out of life.

J. W. Hilton, Pine Hill:—Because its the best and quickest way to get the roads and we cannot afford to lose the State aid offered us.

Owen Allen, Cooksburg:—It will be of more value than two more railroads.

B. G. Mullins, Burr:—Its value to my neighbors and myself would be beyond computation. Transportation by wagon would be facilitated five hundred per cent or more. We could get somewhere with our wagons and teams and take a load where we can only pull an empty wagon in winter time.

Albert Allen, Cooksburg:—I am for it for many reasons too numerous to mention. The biggest is we can get somewhere every month in the year. We need roads. If we never make a start we will never have them.

H. J. Mullins, Richmond Road:—For its tendency toward the general uplift and general improvement in all good things in our county.

J. E. Craig, Quail:—We need the roads.

[Continued Next Week]

## Graded School Notes

Mrs. Fishback is better and will soon be back. It's very pleasing to us to know that our sick pupils are better and to see them returning.

Prof. Martin of the Eastern Normal visited our school last week and spoke to the whole school in the afternoon.

New pupils are finding their way to us daily. We have twenty or more new ones and they are still coming. The rural people have begun to find out that they can get what they want here and are sending their children.

The honor roll is as follows for the month:

High School  
Logan Bryant, Homer Proctor, Will Thompson, Ruth Litton, Eugene Fishback, Emma Taylor, Cecilia Walton, Verna Welch, Marguerite Welch, Ruth Landrum, Ralph Griffin.

Eighth Grade  
Will Davis, Sinnie Cummins.  
Seventh Grade  
Virginia Crawford, Isabelle Cummins, Julian Miller, Christine Davis.

Sixth Grade  
Ada Brown, Rosa Gentry, Annetta Cox.

Fifth Grade  
Edna Davis, Eva Cummins, Bertha DeBord, Maude Adams.

Fourth Grade  
Rena Sowers, Ina Meadows.

Third Grade  
Geneva Cox, Margie Taylor, Karl Davis, Rebecca Cummins, Rosco Cummins.

Second Grade  
Ella May Sowers, Walter Bradley.

First Grade  
Fannie McFerron, Rissie Gentry, Julia Payne.

Primmer  
Katherine Welch, Pearl Hamlin, Leonard Noaks, Elsie Ramsey, Hubert Bowman, William Landrum.

The STAR roll is as follows:—Ella Mae McKenzie, Sydney Crawford, Nora Orton, Lillian Griffin, Henry Payne.

50c Underwear for 35c spot cash at Fish's.

For a hundred years Mt. Vernon has had an unbroken chain of blacksmiths from one family. Tom Ramsey had a blacksmith shop on the lot which is now the northeast corner of M. J. Miller's yard, about the year 1814. A short time since while digging at this point cinders, from the old forge, were dug up. Mat Ramsey was next in line. Then Bob Newcomb. Tom Taylor, a grandson of Mat Ramsey, was "the village blacksmith" for many years then came John, his brother to pump the bellows and nail on shoes. Milt Taylor their brother also, has a shop here. The Ramseys and Taylors are natural born smiths and machinists.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We Are Authorized to Announce

JUDGE B. J. BETHURUM

As a candidate for re-election as Judge of the 28th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Republican party, August primary 1915.

We Are Authorized to Announce

B. C. LEWIS

As a candidate for State Senator for the 17th Senatorial District, subject to the Republican party, August primary 1915.

## McFarland Memorial Presbyterian Church

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY  
Sabbath School 9 45 a.m.  
Young Peoples' Missionary Union 4.00 p.m.  
Christian Endeavor Society 6.30 p.m.  
WEEKLY MID-WEEK PRAYER SERVICE  
Every Wednesday 7 30 p.m.

## LIVINGSTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services, next Sunday as follows:  
Sabbath School 9 45 a.m.  
Supt., Mr. JOHN Walton.  
Morning service 11.00 a.m.  
Night service 7.00 p.m.  
Everybody welcome.  
Rev. JNO. M. MACMILLIAN.

## Announces For State Senator

Prof. B. C. Lewis of Barbourville, candidate for the Republican nomination for the State Senate in this, the 17th Senatorial District is a native of Laurel County. His ancestors were natives of Laurel, Knox, and Bell Counties. When he was seven months old his father died leaving his mother with two children and in straitened circumstances. He was reared on a farm, most of the time as a renter.

When he was ten years of age the family moved to Bell County, the home of his maternal grandparents, and resided there a few years, later moving to Knox and back to Laurel.

Prof. Lewis began his career as teacher in public schools of Laurel county, where he taught for three years. After this he located permanently in Knox county, where he has been engaged in school work most of the time since. He has most all kinds of experience in school work—in the three months four months, five months, and six months schools; in the rural schools, village schools. Mining town schools, and City schools; in the public schools, and the private schools. After coming to Barbourville he has served as Principal of the City School, and as Principal of the Baptist Institute, as County Examiner, and has been for the last ten years head of the Normal Department of Union College.

Besides his experience in school work and on the farm, he has also worked in the log woods, at the sawmills, in the store, in the mines and in the Civil Service for the Government.

During his work with Union College he has part of the time traveled as field agent for the school in every county in the district except one. This, together with his traveling while in the Civil Service and in other respects has given him an extensive acquaintance thruout the district.

While Mr. Lewis has not been a politician nor Office-seeker, yet he has all the while been a loyal Republican, believing that history has proven that Republican principles are necessary for the development and success of this country, and especially for the section included by this Senatorial District. Being a school man and a Church and Sunday School man he would naturally be a temperance or prohibition man; and it was this issue which brought him into this race. Owing to the great fight now on with the Prohibition forces he believes with many others that this district should be represented in the General Assembly by a Prohibition man, and is willing to hazard a race to help in this fight.

Coming as he does from the rural districts, and having traveled so extensively over the Mountain Counties at all seasons of the year, he knows the condition of the roads and their needs and would certainly do all he could to secure legislation for their improvement.

Being acquainted with conditions thruout the district as he is, such as the roads, the schools, the miners, the farmers, etc., he would be qualified, it seems to render excellent service to the people of the district in the General Assembly; and with his

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extensive relationship, acquaintance, and qualifications, he will be a formidable candidate in the race.

## HOPEWELL

Mrs. Robert Harmon is on the sick list.—The Baptist people organized Sunday school at Hopewell last Sunday.—Misses Cora and Bertha Kincer of Bloss spent Wednesday night with their grandmother, Mrs. Sam McClure at this place.—James Nicely who is working at Hazel Patch, spent Saturday night with homefolks at this place.—R. M. Carmical will conduct the prayer meeting at Hopewell Wednesday night.—Rev. James Barnes will preach at Mt. Pisgah the 3rd Saturday and Sunday in this month.—Rev. Carmical is holding a few days meeting at Hummel Grove and will commence a protracted meeting at Mt. Pleasant Sunday Jan. 17th.—Well we are having extra pretty weather at present, for the time of year.—We will agree with the Withers correspondent in saying the Signal would be much more interesting if every correspondent would send in a long letter each week, but it seems that news in this part is scarce and we make no promise to write each week thruout the year, but will do the best we can.—Miss Flora Pittman has entered Langdon Dormitory at Mt. Vernon.—The 5th Sunday meeting to be held with the Baptist, at Poplar Grove, from the reading of the program we think it will surely be a meeting of great interest to all that attend.

Rev. Pike, Allen and Carmical and several speakers will be present and will lecture on several interesting subjects and there will be dinner on the ground.—Rev. T. Clifford preached at Hopewell Saturday morning and evening and also Sunday morning. He was elected pastor of this church for the year 1915. Rev. Clifford is a young minister, and the church should do its duty and donate to Bro. Clifford a reasonable amount to enable him to preach for them.—Meeting will be 2nd Saturday in each month as it formerly was.



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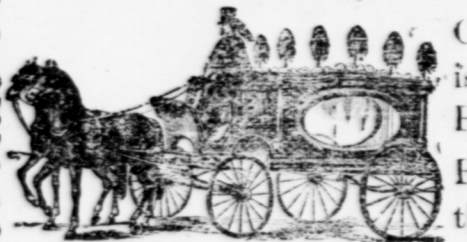
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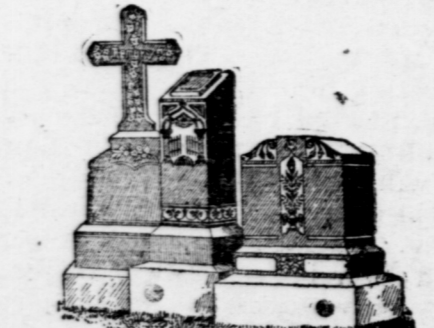
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### Extend Fight on Trachoma.

Efforts of the United States pub-  
lic health service to eradicate  
trachoma, a dangerous and con-  
tagious eye disease, in the mountain  
sections of Kentucky, are to be more  
extensive during 1915 than at any time  
in the past, it is said here. The area  
where this disease is prevalent is  
about one-third of the state, nearly all  
of it mountainous.

The latter months of 1914 found the  
disease spreading in many places,  
among these being the public schools  
at Lexington. A total of nearly 2,000  
patients were treated last year at the  
three small hospitals at Jackson, Hy-  
den and Hindman. Every effort will  
be made to have the government es-  
tablish more of these hospitals.

The state has a vital interest in that  
he persons who have been treated in  
these hospitals are in a great many  
instances without means to pay for  
medical treatment, and if not given re-  
flect, stand to become public charges on  
the counties or the state. Many per-  
sons who have been almost blind for  
months or years have been cured and  
made self-sustaining through the min-  
istrations of these hospitals.

The state legislature will be urged  
to give attention to the matter this  
winter. The extension of the disease  
into the mountains of Tennessee,  
Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia and  
West Virginia makes it probable that  
legislative action will be taken in  
those states also.

HENRY T. RAINEY



Congressman, whose suggestion that  
the federal statute providing for  
whisky "outlets" be repealed has  
raised a storm of protest among dis-  
tillers in Kentucky.

#### Set Limit on Bonds.

Sheriffs must make bond for the col-  
lection of the state revenues with the  
state auditor by March 1. Blanks for  
this purpose are being mailed the sher-  
iffs by Assistant Auditor G. B. Likens.  
On or before March 1 all of the sher-  
iffs must make final settlement with  
the state auditor and receive a quietus  
from him and the fiscal court of their  
respective counties for the collection  
of taxes for the previous year. It is  
necessary for a sheriff to make three  
bonds. First he must make his official  
bond annually by the first of January.  
Then he must make bond for the col-  
lection of the state's revenue and a  
separate bond for the collection of the  
county's revenue. The state bond must  
be made in duplicate, one copy of  
which is filed in the county clerk's  
office and the other copy filed with  
the state auditor. A. T. Beard, sheriff  
of Breckenridge county, is the nine-  
teenth sheriff to make final settlement  
with the auditor and receive his  
quietus for the collection of taxes this  
year. On the same date last year only  
twelve sheriffs had received their  
quietus.

#### Put Jail Prisoners on County Roads.

Reduction of the maintenance ex-  
pense of public roads in Jefferson  
county by the employment of able-  
bodied prisoners in the county jail in  
their upkeep is being advocated by  
County Judge Samuel W. Greene, of  
Lexington. If the idea is adopted, all  
able-bodied persons sentenced to jail  
in the circuit court there will be em-  
ployed in road work. Under the present  
system it costs the county 75 cents  
per day to feed each prisoner, while  
under a new law, passed at the last  
session of the general assembly, the  
county has the authority to work its  
jail prisoners on the roads. The em-  
ployment of the prisoners will result  
in a big saving to the county annually  
and at the same time will not deprive  
the jailer of his fee for their keep.  
According to figures presented to the  
county committee it costs the county ap-  
proximately \$45,000 annually for the  
feed of jail prisoners. At the recent  
meeting of the county judges' associa-  
tion in Louisville several of the offi-  
cials from various sections of the  
state said they had placed the sys-  
tem in effect with splendid results.

#### Judges' Association Elects Officers.

Judge S. E. Jones, of Glasgow, is  
the new president of the State Associa-  
tion of Circuit Judges, succeeding  
Judge W. H. Field, of Louisville.  
Judge Samuel B. Kirby, of Louisville,  
is the new vice president, and Judge  
Field the secretary and treasurer.

#### Heads Court of Appeals.

Judge Shackelford Miller, represent-  
ing the Fifth Judicial district of Ken-  
tucky in the court of appeals, has be-  
come chief justice and will serve in  
that capacity for the next two years.  
Judge Miller has been a member of the  
appellate bench for just one-half of the  
eight-year term for which he was elect-  
ed in November, 1910. At that time he  
was the chancellor of the First division  
of the Jefferson circuit court, to which  
office he was first elected in November,  
1897, and which he held continuously  
to the time of his election.

## "WAR" ORDERS IN KENTUCKY

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lions of dollars of material for Euro-  
pean countries are being placed with  
Kentucky factories and industrial  
plants. Tobacco factories for some  
time have been engaged in shipping  
tobacco intended for consumption by  
the soldiers in the field in Europe.

The latest "war" order to be landed  
by Kentucky is that of the Kentucky  
Wagon Manufacturing Co., which is to  
build 8,000 portable kitchen wagons  
for use in the French army. The wag-  
ons are to be built along specially de-  
signed lines, and are considered light-  
er and more serviceable than the vehi-  
cles of this character which were one  
of the principal reasons for the Ger-  
man soldiers marching for such long  
distances in a single day at the outset  
of the war.

Only the frame work of the wagons  
will be made in Kentucky. To other  
companies is given the contract of  
supplying the steel and the utensils  
for the wagons. The consignment  
must be ready for shipment in 75  
days. Knitting mills and canning fac-  
tories in the state have been doing a  
heavy business lately in filling war  
orders. It is estimated that the or-  
ders already placed will run into the  
millions of dollars.

#### Contest "Dry" Victory.

Attorneys for the "wets" have filed  
a supersedeas bond for an appeal  
against the decision of the contest  
board in the recent prohibition elec-  
tion. Their grounds of appeal are that  
the status of territory in which a pro-  
hibition election is held remains the  
same pending litigation that it was  
prior to the election, provided the con-  
testants prosecute their appeal and ex-  
ecute supersedeas bond. Bourbon  
county was "wet" prior to the election,  
and could not become "dry" until 61  
days after the judgment of the contest  
board was entered of record. This  
judgment was not entered until No-  
vember 11, and so the day upon which  
the county would become "dry" under  
the new act would be January 11, but  
before that time the "wets" will pro-  
ceed their appeal and this will be  
within 60 days on the rendition of the  
judgment as the code provides. With  
a supersedeas issued prior to January  
11 an order will direct that nothing  
more be done in the matter until the  
circuit court passes on the contest, the  
"wets" say. From that decision either  
may appeal, but a supersedeas bond  
executed by the "drys" would not close  
the saloon provided the "wets" won  
in the circuit court, because the terri-  
tory was "wet" prior to the election.

#### Objects to "Greasy" Postoffice.

Postoffices, even though located in  
mountain "runs," caves and hollows,  
should have euphonious names, in the  
opinion of Postmaster Burleson. That  
is the reason why Kentucky no longer  
has a postoffice called "Lower Greasy."  
Postmaster General Burleson just  
wouldn't stand for it. It was not the  
"Lower" that he objected to. It might  
have been "Upper," of "Big" or "Lit-  
tle" or "Much." Greasy and it would  
not have made any difference to the  
postoffice head. He objected to a post-  
office being greasy, and for that reason  
the name of Lower Greasy, Ky., has  
been changed to Offutt, Ky. A mem-  
ber of congress to whom the postmas-  
ter general talked quotes him as say-  
ing: "The name Lower Greasy as ap-  
plied to a postoffice in Kentucky is apt  
to detract from the business of that  
office."

#### Cattle Epidemic Under Control.

The live stock sanitary board, Com-  
missioner of Agriculture Newman and  
the federal authorities at work in this  
state are confident that the foot and  
mouth disease is under control. It has  
now been ten days since fresh out-  
break has been reported. It is believed  
the state will soon be free from the  
disease, as only a small area now is  
included in the quarantine territory.

#### Child Labor Delegates.

Gov. McCreary has commissioned  
Mrs. C. J. Adler, Mrs. R. P. Hallack  
and Mrs. Luke P. Blackburn, of Ken-  
tucky; Mrs. Desha Breckenridge, of  
Lexington, and Harry B. Mackey, of  
Covington, as delegates to represent  
Kentucky at the National Conference  
on Child Labor at Washington, Jan-  
uary 5 and 6.

#### Merge Insurance Companies.

Directors of the Inter-Southern Life  
Insurance Co. and of the Citizens'  
National Life Insurance Co., at sep-  
arate board meetings, have unanimously  
voted for the consolidation of the two  
companies by adopting resolutions em-  
bracing the terms of the proposed  
merger. According to the terms ap-  
proved by the directors, the Inter-  
Southern Life Insurance Co., which  
will have capital stock of \$900,000, as-  
sets of about \$4,500,000 and insurance  
in force of approximately \$40,000,000.  
The event will aggregate \$50,000,000.

### DISPUTANTA

The principal occupation of the  
people here now is getting wood  
and feeding.—R. J. Abney Jr.  
and Miss Edith Linville were mar-  
ried Dec. 23rd at the residence of  
Rev. L. R. Rowlett. The bride  
is the beautiful daughter of James  
Linville. The groom is the son of  
A. T. Abney and a nephew of  
deputy sheriff, Jack Abney.

Their many friends wish them a  
happy life.—Sherman Chasteen's  
school at Davis branch gave an  
entertainment Dec. 24th. The  
weather was very unpleasant but  
the house was full and many re-  
marked that it was the best they  
ever attended.—Willis Chasteen  
and John Berry Jr. spent Xmas  
with homefolks. They work for  
Champion Paper Mill at Hamilton  
Ohio.—Alfred Wood closed his  
school Dec. 24th. Jessie and  
Edith Chasteen received a one  
dollar bill as reward for getting  
the most head marks.—Charley  
Gadd and wife have moved back  
to their farm after living at Ham-  
ilton for five years. There is no  
place like being at home on the  
farm, raising chickens, pigs, etc.  
—Joe Gatliff and H. C. Rowlett  
are buying hogs to feed till June.

### CHILDREN'S COUGHS—CHILDREN'S

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shows symptoms of an approaching  
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### Quarterly Report

Report of the condition of The  
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the town of Brodhead, County of  
Rockcastle, State of Kentucky, at  
the close of business on 31st  
day of December 1914.

#### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	39,222.91
Overdrafts, secured	
and unsecured	346.54
Due from Banks	1,099.14
Cash on hand	2,690.06
Banking House, Furni- ture and Fixtures	4,847.56
Total	48,906.21

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	15,000.00
Surplus Fund	250.00
Undivided Profits less expenses and taxes paid	1,501.90
Deposits sub- ject to check	28,446.73
Due Bank and Trust Companies	7.58
Notes and Bills Re- discounted	3,090.00
Total	\$48,206.21

STATE OF KENTUCKY }  
County of Rockcastle } Set.

We, R. H. Hamm and A. M.  
Hiatt, President and Cashier of  
the above named Bank, do solemn-  
ly swear that the above statement  
is true to the best of our knowl-  
edge and belief.

R. H. HAMM, President,  
A. M. HIATT, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 5th day of January 1915.

JOHN ROBINS,

Notary Public.

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Never give a child a cough me-  
dicine that contains opium in any  
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ther and more serious diseases  
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home newspaper and the home  
ball team. But if you tried to  
run his business he would want  
to fight.

When a widow remarries, the  
Honey moon usually lasts until her  
new Husband asks her what she  
did with the Insurance Money.

#### DANGERS OF A COLD.

Do you know that of all the mi-  
nor ailments colds are by far the  
most dangerous? It is not the  
colds themselves that you need to  
fear, but the serious diseases that  
they so often lead to. For that  
reason every cold should be got-  
ten rid of with the least possible  
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loosens a cold, relieves the lungs,  
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